South American Combination's Attempts to Force a Radical Deciaration Likely to Fall—Chile Has Best of the Situation Now-Where Our Delegates Stand.

CITY OF MEXICO, Dec. 18 .- There is beginning to be considerable talk here regarding the danger of a break over the question of arbitration, which may result in prematurely ending the Pan-American Congress. Alleged despatches from South America, published in some local Spanish papers, accentuate this idea. All, however, are without serious foundation.

Unquestionably there is considerable friction among the delegations. There seems to be considerable misapprehension in the United States concerning the exact situa-tion here and the attitude of our delegation. It is quite evident that there is a combination between the South American States of Peru, Bolivia, Paraguay, Uruguay and Argentina to endeavor to force the conference to take an advanced stand in its arbitration declarations. Argentina has been leading the fight in the conference, Peru keeping consistently in the background. There have been many indications that this combination is ready to filibuster against all other business until the question of arbitration is taken up. This attitude, of course, simply strengthens Chile's determination to resist anything that is likely to affect her interests, especially in Tacna and Arica.

The Mexican proposition, which is the only one submitted so far, is unacceptable to both sides of the South American controversy. The members of the combination protested vehemently to Washington against its support by our delegation. It may be said here that it is just as objectionable to our delegates. Its recognition of the principle of obligatory arbitration is quite unacceptable to the American Government. The result is practically placing Chile and the United States in the same position against the desires of the South American combination, which, although opposing the Mexican scheme, ndorses the principle of that plan. which is most objectionable to the United States. In the meantime, the Central American States, which have an arrangement among themselves respecting obligatory arbitration, neither accept the Mexican plan nor stand closely with the South American combination.

Recently efforts have been made to get the United States and Mexican delegations together. It becomes more evident daily that whatever they agree to support would have a better chance of success in the conference than any other propositions. The had plain fact is that these two countries have a better opportunity to lead the conference than any others, but two things prevent. The United States delegates are instructed to refrain from taking any advanced posito refrain from taking any advanced posi-tion. They are to agree with the others rather than to attempt to force their own propositions. It is believed, however, that Washington is now willing to give our dele-gates a little more leeway, which will prob-ably have good results. The other hinder-ing circumstance is the Mexican unwilling-ness to seem to retreat from the position ness to seem to retreat from the position taken in their plan. Some South Americans are beginning to complain that the result of all this is likely to increase the arrogance in South America of Chile. Certainly her position is the only one which

now seems likely to be sustained.

It can be said that in the efforts of the

Mexican and United States delegations Mexican and United States delegations to reach some agreement a compromise proposition was submitted, which provided for the recognition in general terms of the substance of the so-called Diaz doctrine. regarding the respect tof the territorial integrity of all republics by all others. It was then proposed that all the South American nations enter The Hague convention through negotiations with Mexico and the United States, Mexico also to correspond with all the republics in and with all the republics in to ascertain exactly what they each would do regarding arbitration. From this Mexico was to formulate a general scheme, which would be submitted with the data from which it was drawn to the next conference. This proposition failed to re-ceive the Mexican support. The Mexican counter-proposition has not yet been pre-sented and there the matter stands. The

Arbitration Sub-Committee is still discussing the Mexican project.

In the meantime, it is generally understood here that Chile has concluded treaties with Colombia and Ecuador, although none of their representatives will discuss the treaties. that matter. Some members of the Argen-tine and Chilean delegations have tele-graphed to their Governments offering their services in the event of war

peir services in the event of war. Peru undoubtedly feels a little aggrieved over the United States's attitude, whose result certainly assists Chile. It is difficult to say, however, how far the South American combination will go in an endeavor to force a strong declaration on arbitra-tion. It is very doubtful if they will go so far as threatening withdrawal. That would leave them in too anomalous a position It is very unlikely therefore that any curastances will arise here to disrupt the conference. It is certain, however, that the conference won't adopt any declaration favor of obligatory arbitration.

The session to-day opened nearly an hour late. Chile submitted a project for the protection of literary and artistic propy, which was referred to the Committee the Practice of Learned Professions A resolution indorsing the Louisiana Pur-chase Exposition was referred to the Com-mittee on General Welfare. Then the Coramittee on Court of Claims reported regarding a Central American agreement concerning the rights of foreigners, which had been submitted. The report declared that the committee was organized only to consider the Court of Claims and was without power to consider such a project. It recommended that the question be sent to the committee on International Law. which was downed. The report of the committee on Resources and Statistics was ordered printed for distribution. The committee or finios reported on an ameni-ment proposed by Mr. Pepper at the last associan providing for five associate weekly The committee proposed morely extending the present scaled midd 4 o'clock in the afternoon, in the President's discretion, with other semious when the conforms as prisced. The was changes, hundred the afternoon semious to two hours and man melegelent. It turben effent get tage gerat

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eracking adjoining property. Two death claims have been settled by the company, one at \$6,000 and the other at \$4,000.

SAYS GEN. PORTER OWED HIM. HOLAHAN'S BOARD IS BUSY Vermont Man Presents a Claim for Money

MORRISTOWN, N. J., Dec. 18.—Myron Buck, a lawyer of St. Albans, Vt., has a claim against the estate of Gen. Fitz John Porter for money alleged to have been loaned more than forty years ago. In the papers which have been filed in the Orphans' Court it is alleged that in 1860 Fitz John Porter, then a Captain in the Regular army, was in St. Albans with a body of troops, on account of the Fenian raids. He became a friend of Mr. Buck, it is declared, and on leaving the city borrowed \$312 from the lawyer. Mr. Buck says he took as security a voucher for one

says he took as security a voucher for one month's pay.

When the Captain had gone Mr. Buck sent the voucher to the War Department, but it was returned. Finally Mr. Buck sent a letter to Admiral D. D. Porter, explaining the case, believing the Admiral to be the father of 'lapt. Porter. The Admiral replied that he was not going to settle any more debts for "that seamp of a son." There the matter rested until the will of Gen. Porter was admitted to probate. Mr. Buck saw the notice of it in the papers and forwarded the papers in his claim to Attorney Irving E. Salmon, with instruction to press the matter.

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Mrs. Fitz John Porter repudiates the claim and says that her husband was no relation of Admiral Porter. Mr. Salmon says, however, that he has good reason to believe that Gen. Porter is the man who borrowed the money, even if he was not a son of the Admiral. Mr. Salmon is now in correspondence with the War Department with a view to finding out where Gen. Porter spent the year of 1860.

DEAD, AS IF SANDBAGGED.

Coroner's Physician Believes Hermann

Nutt. Porter, to Have Been Murdered. Hermann Nutt, a young porter employed by Kerin & Dunn, wholesale liquor dealers in Fulton street, was found dead in bed on Tuesday morning in his room at 8 Bedford street. On making an autopsy yesterday Coroner's Physician O'Hanlon discovered that the man had died of a fracture of the skull. Dr. O'Hanlon expressed the opinion that the fracture had been caused by either a lead pipe or a sandbag. There was also an abrasion on the face, which had evidently been caused by a fall. Nutt had left Kerin & Dunn's place on

Monday night at 6 o'clock and he was not again seen alive, so far as the police have been able to ascertain, by any one who knew him. It had been his habit to eat his supper him. It had been his habit to eat his supper at his brother's house, but he failed to go there. Several boarders live in the Bed-ford street house, but none of them heard him when he arrived home. On Tuesday morning Mrs. Lewis, the landlady, going, as usual, to clean up Nutt's room, found him lying on the bed fully dressed and dead. The gas was hurning and a chair had been The gas was burning and a chair had been overturned as though by Nutt while stumbling toward the bed. Mrs. Lewis said

bling toward the bed. Mrs. Lewis said that the young man never drank to excess and believed with Dr. O'Hanlon that he had met with foul play.

After his detectives had reported to him, Capt. Martens of the Charles street station, was inclined to think that the young man had fallen and in that way had fractured his skull. Of his week's wages \$3 was found with his gold watch in his pockets. The police, however, are still working no the theory that the man was sandbagged.

MAX O'RELL HAS APPENDICITIS Lectures in Baltimore While III -To Come

Here for an Operation. BALTIMORE, Dec. 18-Max O'Rell lectured here this evening while suffering from appendicitis, because he did not care to disappoint his audience, but he has cancelled all other engagements made in this country. He said this afternoon before going to the hall that he would at once go to New York and submit to an operation. If this is successful he declared he would to Paris and never again come to

This is the second time," he said, "I have been forced to cancel engagements and for the same reason. In 1900 I was taken down with appendicitis and had to quit. I am not afraid of the operation. Appendicitis was discovered by Americans and they are best qualified, therefore, to I would not miss the lecture treat it is to night for the world. What a spectacle I would present if I announced I could not lecture because of illness! What would the audience think? They might properly advise me to tell my troubles to a police-man. No. I will lecture and then go to surgeon obtainable to perform the opera-

Blouet is much disheartened over his experience

BODY IN THE MINE SHAFT. Missing Man Found Dead at the Bottom

of a Hole 200 Feet Deep. MORRISTOWN, N. J., Dec. 18.- The body of Thomas McCabe of Hibernia, who disappeared a week ago, was found to-day at the bottom of a mine shaft 200 feet deep. McCabe started from Rockaway to Hibernia on the night of Dec. 6. He was last seen going over Middle Mount, having left the road. His brother Andrew McCabe, of Brooklyn, was sent for. He came on and after a day's search reached the conclusion that his brother had disappeared down a certain small mine shaft in the side of the mountain. Procuring ropes he was lowered to the bottom of the hole. There he saw a hand sticking out of a pile of dirt. Digging into the pile he found his

Czechi to Greet Kubelik

Sixty-eight Bohemian societies will unite this evening in a reception to Jan Kubelik, the Bohemian violinist. The reception will take place in Bohemian National Hall, East Seventy-third street. Some of those who will attend the reception knew Kubelik as a child in the little village where he was born, four or five nules from Prague.

Carnegle tites \$5,000 to Press flub. The New York Press Club received a letter from Andrew Carnegle yesterday authorizing the expenditure of \$5,000 for a reference library for the club. When the torsing are networked Mr. Carnegie will furt the left! Mr. Carnege's offer is the result of an application to him to ment in furnish-ing funds for the literary.

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VOTES A NEW STREET FOR EAST RIVER BRIDGE APPROACH.

Adopts New Map of The Bronx With Its 111-Foot Streets-Reduces The Kingsbridge Boad Assessment With Mul-queen's Assistance—Quits for the Day.

Mr. Grout protesting that it was waste of time, the moribund Board of Public Improvements adopted yesterday Engineer Risse's plan for extending the approach to the new East River Bridge by a street to be cut from the Bowery opposite Delancey street to the block bounded by Elm, Broome and Marion streets.

The proposed new map of The Bronx came up. This map has been declared to be extravagant and wasteful because it provides that there shall be more than four hundred streets and avenues 111 feet wide, the standard width in the city being sixty feet.

Mr. Dalton, Commissioner of Water Supply, said that he would vote against the adoption of the map because after a conversation with President Haffen of the borough he believed that there were altogether too many wide streets and parks shown on it.

This struck Mr. Haffen as being calculated to hurt him with his constituents, and he leaned over the table shaking his finger in Mr. Dalton's nose, and yelled: Don't you attribute any such thing as

that to me!" A lot of residents of The Bronx attended the hearing to say that they wanted to have the map adopted so that they could tell what they were doing when they came to sell their property. James L. Weils said some map ought to be adopted. If there were any errors in the proposed map they could be rectified and he would be glad to could be rectified and he would be gad to see it go through, "regardless of that debt limit bugaboo that the Comptroller has always before his eyes."

The map was adopted, with Comptroller Coler and Commissioner Dalton voting

As soon as this was disposed of men from The Bronx began to plead for the reduction of the assessments levied against them on account of local improvements, them on account of local improvements. In nearly all cases they wanted to have 50 per cent. laid on the city. One of the matters was the widening of Kingsbridge road. M. J. Mulqueen, who makes a specialty of getting assessments reduced, said that the managers of the Roman Catholic Orphanage had to go out to beg for the money to pay the assessments that were levied against them.

"Think of the little ones!" said Mr. Mul-

queen.
"Is the orphanage the only building on this road?" asked Mr. Grout.
"No," said Mr. Mulqueen, "there are other property holders."
"Will they all benefit by this reduction?"

"Think of the little ones!" said Mr. Mul-

When this information had been got Mr. Coler said that while he was willing to do anything that he could for the charity he was not going to let a lot of other prop-erty holders come in under its wing and that he would vote against the proposition. while the members were voting, Mr. Mul-queen kept leaning over the table and saying to them: "Think of the little ones, think of the little ones." Finally he be-came so obnoxious that the Comptroller called him down.

Mulqueen a member of this board?"
d. "I think that if he is not, one of might well retire and make a place President Haffen of The Bronx insisted on voting for the resolution. Mr. Grout questioned his right to do so, and was sustained. The reduction was finally made

20 per cent, and adopted.

Then the Board set its face against reductions and all the others that were asked for were refused. So great was the num-ber of these requests that just as the meet-ing adjourned Mr. Grout said:

"The people seem to think that we have a Christmas tree here."

BRIDEGROOM DISAPPEARS. Wedded a Chicago Woman on Short Ac-

quaintance and is Missing. CHICAGO, Dec. 18 - James Nolan, 55 years & Co., a mining firm at Pasadena, Cal., is missing Three weeks ago Nolan came Nolan left for a business trip to Milwaukee. his disappearance to the Central police station. She says her husband had \$15,000 in mining securities with him when he disappeared, and she fears he has met with

According to the story told by Mrs. Nolan to the police and which is borne out by the records in the marriage license office. Noian records in the marriage license office, Nolan came to Chicago three weeks ago to transact some business— He met Miss Koch and on Dec. 6 they went together to the marriage license office— A certificate was issued to "James Nolan, 49 years old, of Pasadona, Cal., to marry Miss Helen E. Koch, 27 years old." Five minutes after the license was secured the two were man and wife the wedding ceremony being performed in the county building just outside of the marriage license office.

The Thursday following the marriage.

Noian received a telegram calling him to Milwaukee. He has since returned, it has been learned, but all efforts on the part of his wife to find any trace of him have been

LEFT OF THY HORGAN & SLATTERY Cost of Excavation Added Now to Cost of Armer) -

The Armory Board met yesterday and found from the reports of its engineers that Horgan & Slattery, the Tammany architects in making the plans for the armory of the Second Naval Battairon registed to make any rationate of the cost of exceeding \$6500 cubic yards of and at the feet of Fiftieth etner. Brook-lyn This will cost several themsend de-lars and will be in addition to the \$250,000 to be spent for the const of the armory

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The Fire-Card purket is enough for an ordinary occasion. The tamily bottle, 60 cents, contains a supply for a year.

BARBER A MAN, NOT A WOMAN. Carver Says That He Has Been Masquerad-

ing These Many Years. ROCKLAND, Me., Dec. 18.-The "woman barber" of North Haven, who has been for many years one of the mainstays of that summer resort's hold on notice from the outside world, tired of long masquerading, has come out in public affidavit to claim his rights as Arthur L. Carver, a real, live man. The affidavit is as follows

real, live man. The affidavit is as follows:

Having been known in North Haven, Me.
(my birthplace and home for thirty years),
as a female by the name of Lillian G. Carver,
I do hereby publicly declare that I have been
masquerading, and for more than ten years
against my wishes. Force of habit, fillai
regard and dread of the necessary sensation
attendant upon such a step have prevented
me from doing my duty, which now as a
Christian I undertake to do. My real name
is Arthur Leslie Carver. I am a man, and
since September, this year (1901), have dressed
and have been known as such.

Witness:

LYMAN R. SWETT, Boston, Nov. 16, 1901.
MRS, MARTHA E. CARVER, Rockland, Dec. 10,
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MRS. MARTHA E. CARVER.
GEORGE E. CARVER. Rockland. Dec. 10. 1901.

For thirty years "Lillian G. Carver" has lived vith "her" parents at North Haven, and for some years past "she" has conducted, in summer seasons, a candy store and barber shop. The queer combination of candy store and barber shop has been matter of much comment. But even more surprised were the young men who for the first time sat in the chair of the harber shop, to find that a young woman wielded the razor. "Miss Carver" did a thriving business.

The affidavit came on the heels of a surprise which was afforded North Haven residents when "Lillian" came back from a stay in Bangor with his father. Arthur Carver, as he has announced himself, was in male attire, in which he has been since last September, when he left North Haven.

"Lillian" was converted by a woman evangelist, to whom "she" revealed the story, and was counselled to make it public. Instead of doing so "Lillian" left North Haven secretly in September and went to a small town near Rockland, where, putting on male attire, he became night clerk in a hotel. One evening a North Haven man came in and recognized the clerk as "Lillian" Carver. The latter sought safety in flight and came to this city, where in the presence of his parents he signed the statement declaring himself a man.

DOG DEFENDS SHOPLIFTERS.

Customers, Moved to Pity, Nearly Mob Man Who Arrests a Woman With a Baby.

A savage Spitz dog belonging to two women who were caught shoplifting in Batterman's department store in Williamsburg yesterday afternoon caused consternation among the shoppers. Assistant Superintendent Hasslinger saw Mrs. Rosie Blassner, aged 31, of 197 Boerum street, acting suspiciously and watched her. Mrs. Blassner carried an infant, and a fouryear-old girl clung to her skirts. When the woman was seen to take a waist and put it into her bag Hasslinger requested put it into her bag Hassinger requested her to accompany him to the private office. Mrs. Blassner set up a cry and her children joined. A crowd gathered and heaped abuse on Hasslinger. He was followed to the elevator, where he showed the shoppers that the woman's bag contained a satin corset, a silk skirt, three dozen silk hand-kerchiefs and several pairs of gloves and stockings.

kerchiefs and several pairs of gloves and stockings.

The woman was taken to the top floor and while she was being searched Hasslinger went to the street to get Policeman Meyers. On the way Hasslinger, it is alleged, saw Mrs. Rosina Scofone of 47 Bushwick avenue and her sixteen-year-old daughter Angeling steal a silk waist. They leged, saw Mrs. Rosina Scofone of 47 Bushwick avenue and her sixteen-year-old daughter Angelina steal a silk waist. They had the Spitz. The animal snapped at Hasslinger and the crowd became frightened and ran out. The women quieted the dog and it was taken with them to the upper floor. A patrol wagon from the Stagg street station took away the whole party, including the dog. On the way to the station the dog escaped. The women were each held on the charge of larceny. Mrs. Blassner was permitted to keep the infant and her husband later took charge of his four-year-old daughter. of his four-year-old daughter

SEEKS CHARITY IN OLD AGE.

Jean Kiser, Who Says He Has Property Tied Up by Littgation, Asks City Aid.

Jean Kiser, 79 years old, who said he live at 19? Broadway, Brooklyn, asked Supt. Blair of the Outdoor Boor Bureau for as old, said to be a member of Nolan, Hayes sistance yesterday. He said that he had property in Denver, but it was tied up in litigation. He came to this country in to Chicago and married Heien E. Koch after 1850 and later had a tailor shop at Leonard a short acquaintance. After two weeks street and Brondway, he said. Since then he had travelled in the West and recently He has not returned, and his bride reported lived with his son-in-law in Philadelphia Not long ago, so he said, he came here and lived at 140 East Fifty-ninth street with another son-in-law, Harold B. Chrestensen, whom he described as the manager of the Singer Sewing Machine Company. Kiser had no complaint to make against either of his sons-in-law, but said he "would rather be dead than hounded.

Supt Blair advised him to go to the harities Department in Brooklyn, and Kiser said he would. At the Brooklyn house where Kiser said At the Brooklyn house where Kiser said be lived it was said last night that his mar-ried daughter, a Mrs. Chrosteusen, was the agent for a sewing machine company which had an office in the building. She lived at Woodside, L. I., it was said, and her father often accompanied her to work He did not need to ask the city for help the people in the house said. seans and his daughter would take care of

KILLED FOR HIS \$3,800.

and a Large Sum Is Missing.

SALT LARE, Utah, Dec. 18. The body of James B. Hay, Secretary of the Pacific Lumber Company, was found to-day buried in a shallow trench along the Rio Grande tracks. On Monday night Hay called at the home of Peter Mortensen, a contractor, and collected \$1.00, which Mortensen owed the Pacific Lumber Company Since that time nothing had been seen or heard of him. The money was gone and in the tack of Hay's head was a large would

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NEWS OF THE WHEELMEN Foreign Racers Sall for Home -- Asphalt for Lower Broadway.

On the steamship St. Louis of the American Line several of the racing men who came over here to take part in the six-day bicycle contest returned homeward yesterday. Karnstandt went without his partner, Franks, and McLaren sailed without Hall. Kerff and De Rocck teamed together for the voyage McLaren says he will return in a fortnight Simar, who quit so unceremoniously in the race, has not yet returned to France, and it Gougeltz and ride with him in the ten-houra-day race at Boston. Hall intends to go home to England, but is to return within a month. There is an effort being made to bring Hall and Jimmy Michael together as a team for the six-day race that is to be run at Phila-delphia next month.

Something that would be a boon to bicyclists, automobilists and others was acted upon at the December meeting of the Associated Cycling Clubs, but the practicebility of the idea is doubtful. The clubs instructed their Streets and Roads Committee to urge that Broadway be asphalted from Canal street to the Battery. This would make it fine for pneumatic-tired vehicles all the time, but as this is the section in which there is heavy trucking it would be rough on the horses, especially during the season of snow and ice. The Race Committee reported everything ready for the New Year's ever un to Yonkers. ready for the New Year's eve run to Yonker and Tarrytown. All riders intending to star must be registered before starting. Informamust be registered before starting. Information on any point can be secured from M. L. Bridgman. 10 West Sixtieth street, on the evening of Dec. 31. The committee head-quarters will be open from 10 o'clock until the race starts at Fifty-eighth street and Eighth avenue. Delegates were invited to be at the Century Wheelmen's clubhouse to hear reports of the race.

At the annual election of the Royal Arcanum Wheelmen of New York the following officers were elected President, James R. J. Ryan First Vice-President, Kimball's Drake Second Vice-President, Arthur R. Cantrell Recording Secretary, Harry O'Connor, Financial Secretary, Ezra B. Stocky's, Treasurer, William G. Hoff captain, Edward M. Bradford first lieutenant, John F. Forsyth, second fiest lieutenant, John F. Forsyth, second fiest lieutenant, John F. Forsyth, second fiest the second sergeant, John R. Hewitt third sergeant, James V. Crane, Jr. Color bearers, Max Barufke and Michael Lorenze, buglets, Franz Bergman and P. J. Kelly, surgeons, Dr. T. K. Tutnili and George R. Freeman, Board of Directors, for term of two years, Arthur R. Cantrell, Joseph J. Burke, Benjamin Schneider and Arthur S. Taylor, for one year, Robert W. Forsyth, William J. Cronn, Dr. F. A. Ryan and James Van Ness.

The Berkeley Oval track, one of the fastest The Berkeley Oval track, one of the fastest yet most increasitie bicycles courses in the city, has been sold, as was told in The Ses a few weeks ago, but it is not going to be taken up sectionally and laid down in some other part of the city. It is going into the possession of a desior in second-hand lainter. It was a finely constructed track and a few orste with men in training, but a paying crowd never could be drawn to the place, no mother what attracts he were chiefed. The last of this week the track will be only a matter of memory and of history.

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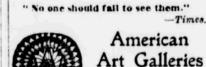
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PROPOSALS.

For the negotiation of bonds of the "Loan of the City of Ponce."

PONCE, November 30th 1901.

Under and by virtue of the authority granted in the act of the Legislative Assembly of Puerlo Rico, entitled "An Act to authorize and registe the Issuance of bonds by the Cit es of Puerlo Rico, approved January 31st, 1901, and the article 3s of the organic act of the Congress of the United States, approved April 12th, 1900:

Sealed proposals will be received by the Mayor of the City of Ponce, at his office in said city until 4 o clock P. M., on Monday, December 30th, 1901, for the purchase of 200 bonds of \$1,000 one thousand dollars each, making consequently, a total of \$200,000 (two hundred thousand dollars).

The delivery of the bonds, and the payment of the purchase money, to be made in this city as soon as legally executed, and the Mayor asks the purchaser or purchasers to receive them in exchange for the value of the bonds.

The purposes of the proposed loan are: the payment of the floating indebtedness of the City of Ponce; the construction of a cemetery, the enlarement and construction of poilie building; improvements of the aqueduct, the establishment of a telephone plant for the Police Department, a chemical laboratory and improvements of streets and sidewalks.

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The total assets of Ponce for the year 1801 is \$12. \$26.394.

In the event of a failure on the part of the City to make prompt payment of the interest and principal of the bonds or any part thereof as the same shall become due, the City as a pedge of its good faith authorizes the Treasurer of Puerto Rico testain and set aside from revenues and money thereafter to be collected by the linear tower the same than the control of the collected by the control of the such payments in arrears.

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A certified check of any National Bank of the United States payable to the order of the Mayor of the City of Ponce for the sum of five thousand dollars, or cash for the Same amount, must accompany c.ch proposal, as a guarantee of good faith. If the terms and conditions of the proposals of the successful hidder are not compiled with his shall forfett his deposit; otherwise the deposit same be returned upon completion of the contract. The clack and deposits of unsuccessful hidders shall be returned immediately after the awarding of the bid.

Proposals for the above named bonds and the certified encels or deposits therewith must be in conformity with the terms and conditions of this notice and without other provisos or conditions. Proposals to conflict nerewith will not be considered.

At the hour of 4 o'clock F. M., on Monday, December 30, 1801, the bids will be closed and the Mayor of the City of Ponce shall forthwith cause the proposals received to be opened and scheduced in presence of the City Council. The City Council shall thereupon proceed to consider the proposals and tase proper action thereon within forty egitions.

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The total assessed valuation of the laxable property of the city of Ponce for the year 1901 is \$11.

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